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MEETING IN OTTAWA

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- 1. ACCORDING TO SCIENCE DIVISION, SCIENCE COMMITTEE (SC) DRAFT AGENDA FOR OTTAWA MEETING IS AS FOLLOWS:
- I. OPENING REMARKS
- II. TRANSFER OF YEAR-END FUNDS
- III. ADVISORY PANEL REPORTS
- IV. SPECIAL PROGRAM PANEL REPORTS
- V. APPOINTMENT OF NEW PANEL MEMBERS
- VI. OTHER BUSINESS

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V INCLUDES ELECTION 15 NEW PANELISTS. US IS ALREADY WELL REPRESENTED BUT IS SO FAR INCLUDED AMONG NOMINATIONS FOR UPCOMING VACANCIES ON HUMAN FACTORS J. NAGAY) AND ECO-SCIENCES (L.L. CAVALLI-SFORZA

AND J.D. COSTLOW) PANELS. ITEM VI WILL INCLUDE PROGRESS REPORT OF WORK OF AD HOC GROUP ON MATERIALS BUT THIS WILL REQUIRE NO FORMAL SC ACTION.

- 2. IN VIEW OF SCIENCE DIVISION, PAPER ON SENIOR SCIENTISTS EXCHANGES PREPARED FOR MAY 27 SC MEETING AT NATO (AC/137-D/543) AND RESULTING SC DISCUSSION ON THAT OCCASION (SEE SUMMARY RECORD IN AC/137-R/49, DATED JULY 11, 1974) CONSTITUTED ADEQUATE SC REVIEW OF SUBJECT FOR PRESENT. DEPARTMENT MAY WISH DISCUSS MATTER FURTHER WITH DEPUTY ASYG KOVACH WHILE HE IS IN DEPARTMENT DURING AUGUST ON HOME LEAVE IN US.
- 3. RE SCIENCE COMMITTEE CONFERENCES SECRETARIAT UNDERSTANDS US PREFERS NOT REPEAT NOT FOLLOW-UP COMPUTER SCIENCE TOPIC PROPOSED BY US REP (RABI) AT LAST MEETING. OTHER TOPICS CONSIDERED INCLUDE LONG TERM CLIMATOLOGY, THEORIES OF ADHESION, COSTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT, BUT PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION SUGGESTS THESE WOULD BE POORLY TIMED IN 1975. ENERGY CONSERVATION IN AGRICULTURE OR OTHER ASPECT WORLD FOOD PROBLEM STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION. ANTICIPATED THAT ALL DOCUMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE BEFORE END OF AUGUST.

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